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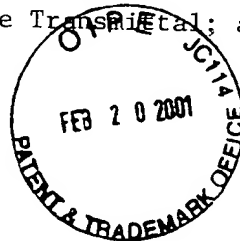
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Total* Claims	158	-	145	= 13	x \$9.00	\$ <u>117.00</u>
Independent Claims	28	-	23	= 5	x \$40.00	\$ <u>200.00</u>
Multiple Dependent Claim(s)	(If claims added by amendment include Multiple Dependent Claim(s) and there was not Multiple Dependent Claims(s) in application before amendment add \$135.00 to additional fee.)					\$ <u>0</u>
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☒ A statement claiming small entity status was filed in the provisional application, serial no. 60/165,822 and its benefit under 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(a) is hereby claimed. Reduced fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.9(F) (50% of total) paid herewith \$ 317.00.

\* Includes all independent and single dependent claims and all claims referred to in multiple dependent claims. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(c).

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